

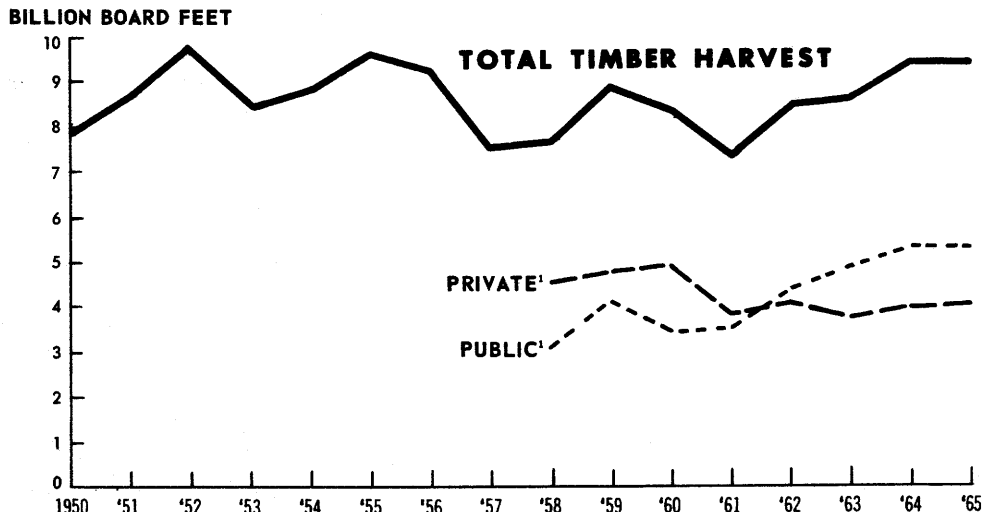
1965 OREGON TIMBER HARVEST

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Oregon maintained its high level of timber harvest in 1965 with an output of 9.4 billion board feet. This was the first time since 1926 that production remained unchanged in 2 consecutive years. The harvest from private lands remained stable at 4 billion feet, or 43 percent of the total. Forest industry's cut declined 2 percent (83 million board feet) from 1964, whereas other private landowners increased their cut by 17 percent (103 million feet). Forest industry's share of private production was 83 percent in 1965 compared with 85 percent in 1964.

The total public timber harvest was marked by offsetting increases and decreases. National Forests had the greatest gain with a 350-million-board-foot (10-percent) increase over 1964. State, county, and municipal harvest, which also reflected high demand for public timber, increased 18 million board feet (7 percent). The 398-million-board-foot (24-percent) decrease of the Bureau of Land Management reflected an adjustment to normal cut levels following completion of logging in 1962 blowdown material. The Indian harvest declined 17 million board feet (18 percent) in 1965 due to readjustment to allowable cut levels and to seasonal factors.



¹ Separate data for public and private unavailable prior to 1958.

OREGON TIMBER HARVEST, 1950-65.

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Timber Harvest by Ownership in the State of Oregon, 1965^{1/}

(In thousands of board feet, Scribner log rule)

State and county	Private ^{2/}			Bureau of Land Management ^{3/}	National Forest ^{4/}	Indian ^{5/}	Other Federal ^{2/}	State ^{2/}	Other public ^{2/}	Total
	Forest industry	Other	Total							
Western Oregon:										
Benton	26,096	31,396	57,492	53,347	5,600	--	--	9,628	--	126,067
Clackamas	97,406	17,797	115,203	18,289	259,600	--	--	500	--	393,592
Clatsop	271,670	18,067	289,737	--	--	--	--	31,433	140	321,310
Columbia	71,794	28,604	100,398	75	--	--	--	2,015	125	102,613
Coos	341,100	45,066	386,166	156,588	62,600	--	--	60,935	1,432	667,721
Curry	201,311	14,482	215,793	37,354	96,600	--	--	1,853	1,250	352,850
Douglas	627,472	81,850	709,322	380,778	528,300	--	--	31,614	--	1,650,014
Hood River	12,311	2,545	14,856	--	40,500	--	--	45	1,750	57,151
Jackson	147,967	18,944	166,911	129,122	145,200	--	--	2,250	--	443,483
Josephine	6,526	6,622	13,148	74,762	57,300	--	--	909	1,090	147,209
Lane	396,017	61,761	457,778	191,446	857,200	--	1,757	20,793	492	1,529,466
Lincoln	256,366	33,375	289,741	10,271	130,500	--	--	8,644	1,400	440,556
Linn	295,371	104,688	400,059	64,464	236,100	--	1,269	3,445	--	705,337
Marion	4,350	5,765	10,115	12,989	97,600	--	--	6,450	--	127,154
Multnomah	4,400	4,099	8,499	17	35,500	--	--	--	--	44,016
Polk	46,397	5,075	51,472	45,056	3,600	--	--	14,263	--	114,391
Tillamook	104,148	18,798	122,946	26,057	42,700	--	--	43,249	800	235,752
Washington	10,045	12,402	22,447	5,859	--	--	--	1,937	--	30,243
Yamhill	8,577	10,649	19,226	21,521	600	--	--	--	--	41,347
Total	2,929,324	521,985	3,451,309	1,227,995	2,599,500	--	3,026	239,963	8,479	7,530,272
Eastern Oregon:										
Baker	--	1,151	1,151	68	107,800	--	--	--	--	109,019
Crook	5,650	870	6,520	1,728	60,100	--	--	--	--	68,348
Deschutes	22,786	74	22,860	127	108,300	--	--	23	--	131,310
Gilliam	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Grant	20,302	8,366	28,668	1,214	223,100	--	--	--	--	252,982
Harney	--	--	--	501	77,500	--	--	--	--	78,001
Jefferson	--	--	--	--	50,600	49,815	--	--	--	100,415
Klamath	180,675	41,428	222,103	7,749	185,200	--	--	2,892	--	417,944
Lake	51,345	8,092	59,437	--	113,100	--	--	32	--	172,569
Malheur	--	--	--	--	1,200	--	--	--	--	1,200
Morrow	5,703	10,262	15,965	--	11,300	--	--	--	--	27,265
Sherman	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Umatilla	34,721	26,323	61,044	--	31,300	262	--	850	--	93,456
Union	24,840	29,855	54,695	--	68,800	--	--	--	--	123,495
Wallowa	35,094	32,323	67,417	--	61,900	--	--	--	--	129,317
Wasco	16,700	3,945	20,645	184	53,700	23,792	--	8,200	--	106,521
Wheeler	12,788	8,945	21,733	--	27,900	--	--	1,860	--	51,493
Total	410,604	171,634	582,238	11,571	1,181,800	73,869	--	13,857	--	1,863,335
Total Oregon	3,339,928	693,619	4,033,547	1,239,566	3,781,300	73,869	3,026	253,820	8,479	9,393,607

^{1/} Includes volume removed as logs, poles and piling, but not volume removed for woodcutting operations.

^{2/} Compiled by State Forester.

^{3/} Compiled by U.S. Bureau of Land Management.

^{4/} Compiled by U.S. Forest Service, Region 6.

^{5/} Compiled by U.S. Bureau of Indian Affairs.

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